

## Christ Church

Last Sunday after Epiphany

February 19, 2012

Worship at 9:30 and 11:15 am

***No matter who you are, or where you are on  
life's journey, you're welcome here!***

# Order of Worship

9:30 a.m. – Last Sunday after Epiphany

Prelude

Nicholas Mitchell Garcia, organ

Ringing of the Church Bell

Hymn # 138 ***Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty!*** NICEA

Call to Worship

Kathryn Weidener

Leader: Let's go up the mountain.

**People: Let's go up to the place where the land meets the sky**

Leader: Where the earth touches the heavens,

**People: To the place of meeting,**

Leader: To the place of mists,

**People: To the place of listening.**

Leader: Let's go up to the mountain.

**All: To see the light of God.**

Prayer of Invocation

Kathryn Weidener

Scripture Reading

Romans 12:1-2

Scott Nelson

A Story for Children

Rev. Julie Yarborough

(The 2 and 3-year-olds may leave for Sunday school at this time.

Church Mice Choir for children pre-K through 1st grade  
may leave at this time.)

Hymn

***Halle, Halle, Halleluja!***

Caribbean Folk Song

words by  
George Mulrain

**All:**

**Halle, halle, halleluja! (3 times)**

**Halleluja, Halleluja!**

Choir:

I am the Resurrection, live in me

I am the way, the truth, follow me

I am the resurrection, live in me

**All:**

**Halleluja, Halleluja!**

Passing of the Peace

Announcements, Joys and Concerns

Rev. Julie Yarborough

Silence & Prayer

Invitation to Sharing

Offertory Anthem

***Ave Maria***  
Chancel Choir

S. Rachmaninoff

Doxology

OLD 100TH

Praise God from whom all blessings flow;  
Sing praise, all creatures here below.  
Praise God above, ye heavenly hosts;  
Creator, Christ and Holy Ghost. Amen.

(Children Pre-K through 7<sup>th</sup> grade may leave for  
Sunday school at this time.)

Scripture Reading

Mark 9:2-9

Rev. Caroline Dean

Sermon

“Down the Mountain”

Rev. Dean

Hymn

***Open the Eyes of My Heart, Lord***

words and music by Paul Baloche

O - pen the eyes of my heart, Lord, o - pen the eyes of my heart, I want to  
see you, I want to see you. To see you  
high and lift - ed up, shin - ing in the light of your glo -  
ry, pour out your pow - er and love, as we sing  
"Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly!" Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho -  
ly, ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly,  
ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly, I want to see you.

Benediction

Rev. Dean

Postlude

***Chorale Prelude on 'Rhoysmedre'***

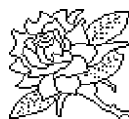
R. Vaughn Williams

Acolyte for 9:30 am:

Greeters: Al and Peggy Mac Rae

Ushers for 9:30 am: The MacMillan Family

**Welcome! Visiting today? Please complete a Visitor Card and drop into the offering plate and join us for fellowship after today's service.**



*The flowers today are given  
in memory of Andrew Szego  
by Peter Szego and Kathryn Weidener.*

The **third white candle** on the altar is lit in hope of world peace.

### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Here is today's **Sunday school** schedule:

2-3 year olds	Room B-202
Pre-K thru 5th graders	Assembly in the Art Room
6th and 7th graders	Conference Room
8th thru 12th graders	Stay in Worship

**Meditation Group will not meet on Saturday March 3rd** (because of the women's retreat): Our Meditation Group meets on Saturdays from 9am-10am. We have an array of meditation facilitators and a fantastic group! If you are interested in more information email [cdean@ccsnj.org](mailto:cdean@ccsnj.org).

**Heirloom / Personal History Exhibit:** Please consider submitting a personally significant object, heirloom, or piece of ephemera to an upcoming exhibit in Christ Church's Grace Chapel. Objects of all size, shape and value are welcome, and will be returned after the show, which will run from April 15 to 29th. Participants are encouraged to write summaries of their object's history or significance, which will be displayed with the objects.

Questions or concerns can be addressed to the curator, Emily Loughlin, at [eloughlin@gm.slc.edu](mailto:eloughlin@gm.slc.edu), or you may send email to the exhibition's official email address [heirloomshow@ccsnj.org](mailto:heirloomshow@ccsnj.org) Collection will take place on Sundays beginning March 25th.

**The Devil's Advocate: "Let Justice Roll" to air on HomeTowne TV:**

A conversation with Rev. Chuck Rush and Mark Miller about Mark's musical adaptation of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr's "Letter from a Birmingham Jail." Comcast CH 35 and Verizon CH 36. Airing Monday, February 20 at 10:00 AM and Tuesday, February 21 at 8:00 PM.

**LET JUSTICE ROLL:** In celebration of African-American History Month, the Music and Fine Arts Committee presents the second annual "Let Justice Roll" concert on **Saturday February 25th at 7:30 PM**. The admission price is \$15.00 per person and tickets/donations can be purchased online at [ccsnj.org/feb25concert](http://ccsnj.org/feb25concert). Tickets (limited) available at door.

"Let Justice Roll," is a musical adaptation of Martin Luther King Jr.'s "Letter from a Birmingham Jail," composed by Mark Miller. Actor Gaius Charles, (known for his role as Brian "Smash" Williams on NBC's Emmy-Award winning "Friday Nights Lights") will narrate the piece. In addition,

several well-known area choirs will perform including: the Good News Choir of Plainfield, the Ubuntu Pan Af Choir of Drew University, and the Christ Church Chancel Choir and Youth Choir. We hope you join us for this spiritually uplifting performance!

**Newcomers:** Have you been attending services here and there and would like a non-threatening way to get some questions answered and to meet others?

We're having a get together just for you. You are invited for hors d' oeuvres and wine at the Summit home of Carol and Brian Angle on **Sunday, February 26th from 4-6 pm.** Call Carol Angle at 908 918-1005 or email at jerseyangle@aol.com. On-site babysitting is available, please let Carol know if needed.

Some of the leaders of the church will be there and so will the Ministers. At a minimum, it will be a nice evening.

**New Member Sunday:** Mark Your Calendar - March 25.

**Directory Photos:** If your photo hasn't been taken, we will be taking them for the church directory on March 25<sup>th</sup>, at coffee hour in the atrium.

**The Women's Retreat will be held Saturday, March 3 to Sunday, March 4 from 3:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.** "Come and Find the Quiet Center" will be the theme, and our location this year will be St. Marguerite's House at the Convent of St. John the Baptist in Mendham. All rooms are singles, bathrooms are on the halls. The cost is \$105 for a bed and three meals. If you have questions, please contact Julie at revjy@ccsnj.org or 908-273-5549.

**Towels and Bedding for Nicaragua:** Any old **towels and washcloths** lying around your house? Consider donating them to Nicaragua, where they will be used until they are threadbare. Ditto for used but still useful **sheets, pillowcases, and lightweight blankets**, always in short supply. Runaway children who live on the streets just lie down and sleep on a piece of cardboard or the bare ground, without so much as a sheet to cover them. If you happen to have a portable bed, such as a **folding cot**, that you no longer use, that too would also be a welcome donation. At Inhijambia, the street children's rehabilitation center in Managua, it's the lucky child who goes home at night to sleep in a bed of his/her own: usually there's a sibling or two, and maybe also a parent, under the same covers. Loading day for the PeaceWorks container shipment is Saturday, May 5, but **early donations are welcome.** To coordinate a drop-off or pickup, please contact Marilyn Devroye mptd@msn.com 908-522-1072; or Dan Ocone ocone@math.rutgers.edu 908-273-0968. Tax receipt available!

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**New Prayer Concerns and Joys:** *We pray for the York and Andrus families upon the death of Bev's 18 year old grandson Kyle last Friday, for the Parkers as Randy's father, Allan, died on Saturday night, for Kathy Havens who has come down with shingles, for Sue Salsberry's father, Cary Early, who suffered a stroke last weekend, for Charles Tsiang who is undergoing tests for a heart condition, and for Dawn Moriarty's son, Miles, who is facing knee surgery.*

<b>Sunday February 19 , 2012</b>	Choir Practice – Sanctuary	8:45 am
	First Worship Service	9:30 am
	Church Mice – Barnwell Hall	9:45 am
	Coffee Hour – Barnwell Hall	10:30 am
	Genesis Choir - Sanctuary	10:45 am
	Canticle Singers – Lile Hall	11:00 am
	High School Youth Choir	11:15 am
<b>Last Sunday after Epiphany</b>	Second Worship Service	11:15 am
	Middle School Youth	5:00 pm

### Calendar of Upcoming Events

#### February 2012

Tue, Feb 21	Executive Board Meeting, 8:00 pm	Acker Conference Room
Sat, Feb 25	Meditation Group, 9:00 am	Small Chapel off Lile Hall
	<b>Let Justice Roll</b> concert, 7:30 pm	
Sun, Feb 26	First Sunday of SOS Campaign	
	Cocktail Hour for Visitors, 4 – 6 pm	

#### March 2012

Sat, Mar 3	Meditation Group, 9:00 am	Small Chapel off Lile Hall
Sat-Sun, Mar 3-4	Women's Retreat	
Tue, Mar 6	Lenten Lunch at Noon	Barnwell Hall
	Board of World Fellowship meeting	Lile Hall

*For updates or additions to calendar, please email Julia O'Brien at jaywob@gmail.com*

Ministers – All Members of Christ Church  
Senior Minister – The Rev. Dr. Charles T. Rush  
Associate Minister – The Rev. Julie Yarborough  
Associate Minister – The Rev. Caroline Dean  
Minister of Music – Mark A. Miller  
Children's Choirs Director – Alison Vidal Caravano  
Second Service Pianist – Daniel Rufolo  
Organ Scholar & Music Intern - Nicholas Mitchell Garcia  
Office Manager – Cheryl Levy  
Housekeeping – Juan and Rocio Restrepo

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